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1.(amended) A synchronization protecting and setting system for signals received in a radio base station comprising:

a first means for generating a first synchronized word detecting window, which covers a position of a synchronized word provided in a reception signal received at the radio base station;

a second means for generating a second synchronized word detecting window, which covers the position of the synchronized word and is within the first synchronized word detecting window;

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